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I—LEGION OF MERIT. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Degree of Commander) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services is awarded to—

Major General Vicente Narvaez, Venezuelan Army, July 1981 to May 1982.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Degree of Officer) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services is awarded to—

Brigadier General Jean Marie L. A. Morbieu, Army of France, June 1978 to August 1981.

3. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Degree of Legionnaire) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services is awarded to—

Colonel Ehrenfried Boege, Army of the Federal Republic of Germany, 16 October 1978 to 28 September 1981.

II—SOLDIER'S MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 2 July 1926, a Soldier's Medal for heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy is awarded to—

Sergeant First Class Manuel J. Bledsoe, Jr., United States Army, for heroism on 23 March 1981, while a member of United States Army Noncommissioned Officer Academy and Drill Sergeant School, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Specialist Five Lonnie W. Clark, Jr., , United States Army, for heroism on 30 November 1981, while a member of 12th Company, 1st Battalion, 1st Aviation Brigade, Fort Rucker, Alabama.

Sergeant First Class William C. Evans, United States Army, for heroism on 23 March 1981, while a member of United States Army Noncommissioned Officer Academy and Drill Sergeant School, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Staff Sergeant Milton Gerena-Pabon, , United States Army, for heroism on 14 October 1981, while a member of Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 3d Battalion, 84th Field Artillery, Germany,

First Sergeant Billy G. Munn, , United States Army, for heroism on 25 July 1981, while assigned to Headquarters Battery, 6th Battalion, 37th Field Artillery, Republic of Korea.

Private Gerald C. Nesmejanow, United States Army, for heroism on 17 October 1981, while a member of Troop A, 3d Squadron, 4th Cavalry, 25th Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

Colonel Richard H. Stienmier, Medical Corps, , United States Army, for heroism from 27 to 30 December 1981, while assigned to the Fort Carson Medical Department Activity, Fort Carson, Colorado.

Sergeant First Class Anthony L. Watson, , United States Army, for heroism on 24 November 1981, while a member of the 82d Adjutant General Company, 82d Airborne Division, Ft. Bragg, North Carolina. (This award supersedes the Army Commendation Medal awarded to Sergeant First Class Anthony L. Watson for heroism on 24 November 1981, as announced in Permanent Orders 8-6, Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina 28307, 13 January 1982.)

III—ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 2-18, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service is awarded to—

Captain Angel Aquiles Antunez-Rivera, Army of Honduras, 30 May 1980 to 1 December 1981.

Colonel Marco H. Cabezas-Romero, , Army of the Republic of Ecuador, 21 December 1979 to 12 December 1980.

Lieutenant Colonel Argemiro Cruz-Garcia, ____, Army of the Republic of Columbia, 3 January 1980 to 20 December 1980.

First Lieutenant Kim Jung Hoon, , Republic of Korea Army, 11 July 1980 to 16 September 1981.

Major Lee Kil Hyung, , Republic of Korea Army, 11 July 1980 to 3 March 1982.

Major Martin Kropatscheck, Army of the Federal Republic of Germany, 23 October 1980 to 19 January 1982.

Lieutenant Colonel Oacyr Pizzotti Minervino, , Army of the Federal Republic of Brazil, 8 January 1980 to 22 January 1982.

Major Fermin Rivas-Garcia, , Army of Mexico, 3 January 1979 to 4 January 1981.

Colonel *Klaus Steiner*, , Army of the Federal Republic of Germany, 1 September 1979 to 29 December 1981.

Colonel Alfonso Vacca-Perilla, Army of the Republic of Colombia, 2 January 1980 to 20 December 1980.

Sergeant First Class *Hector Vargas-Suarez*, , Army of the Republic of Colombia, 26 December 1979 to 31 December 1980.

Captain Carlos Alfonso Velasquez-Romero, , Army of the Republic of Colombia, 2 January 1980 to 20 December 1980.

Captain Guillermo Visbal-Lascano, , Army of the Republic of Colombia. 1 January 1980 to 20 December 1980.

IV—AIR FORCE OUTSTANDING UNIT AWARD. Award of the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award to the following United States Army personnel assigned to the following unit for exceptionally meritorious service for the period 1 July 1978 to 30 June 1980 by Department of the Air Force Special Order GB-105, dated 25 February 1981, is confirmed in accordance with paragraph 9-9, AR 672-5-1.

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with duty:

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V—AIR FORCE ORGANIZATIONAL EXCELLENCE AWARD. Award of the Air Force Organizational Excellence Award to the following United States Army personnel assigned to the following unit for exceptionally meritorious service for the period 1 January 1975 to 30 June 1978 by Department of the Air Force Special Order GB-345, dated 26 June 1979, is confirmed in accordance with paragraph 9-9, AR 672-5-1.

UNITED STATES ARMY SPACE OFFICE ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

with duty:

DEFENSE DISSEMINATION SPO. SAMSO

VI—NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION. Award of the Navy Unit Commendation to the following United States Army unit for the period 1 October 1977 to 31 May 1981 is confirmed in accordance with paragraph 9-9, AR 672-5-1.

EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE DISPOSAL TRAINING DETACHMENT #1 INDIAN HEAD, MARYLAND

The Secretary of the Navy takes pleasure in presenting the NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION to—

NAVAL SCHOOL, EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE DISPOSAL INDIAN HEAD, MARYLAND

for service as set forth in the following:

CITATION:

For exceptionally meritorious service while engaged in the training of Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) personnel from 1 October 1977 to 31 May 1981. Through superb leadership and direction, the Naval School, Explosive Ordnance Disposal, Indian

Head, Maryland staff provided highly technical training to more than seventy-five hundred personnel, consisting of all military services, Federal agencies, and foreign military and civilian personnel in a total accident free environment. The development of new training programs and instructional concepts allowed students to obtain state of the art training in both U.S. and foreign warfare techniques during a period of austere manning and resources. The caliber and effectiveness of the foreign training program developed and administered by the Naval School, Explosive Ordnance Disposal received numerous accolades from participating foreign nations. The participation in national exercises and development of a highly technical course of instruction in improvised device procedures received the highest praise from U.S. Government officials and enhanced significantly peacetime capability in dealing with such incidents. By their extensive professional knowledge, managerial abilities, and complete dedication to duty, the officers, enlisted personnel, and civilian employees of the Naval School, Explosive Ordnance Disposal, Indian Head, Maryland reflected great credit upon themselves and upheld the highest traditions of the United States Armed Forces.

VII—SILVER STAR. So much of section IV, General Orders 26, 1981, Headquarters, Department of the Army, Washington, DC, as pertains to award of the Silver Star to Corporal Aubrey P. McGehee, Jr., United States Army, as reads: "ASN: 15-027-122" is amended to read "ASN: 18-027-122."

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By Order of the Secretary of the Army:

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